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GOV. EASLEY REAPPOINTS OFFERMAN TO COUNCIL FOR WOMEN

RALEIGH – Gov. Mike Easley has reappointed **Muriel K. Offerman** of Cary to the North Carolina Council for Women.

Offerman is deputy chairman for programs at the Employment Security Commission and former secretary of the N.C. Department of Revenue. She is a member of the North Carolina Center for Women in Public Service and former president of the Executives Club of Raleigh and the Women's Forum. She received the Order of the Long Leaf Pine and the Woman of the Year Award in 2000. Offerman received her Bachelor's degree in humanities from the University of Chicago in Illinois.

The council advises the governor, the principal state departments and the state legislature concerning the education and employment of women in the state of North Carolina. The council advises the secretary of Administration upon any matter the secretary may refer to it, as well as, establishes programs for the assistance of displaced homemakers. The board has 20 members, each serving a two-year term. The governor appoints all members.

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